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THE TRIAL OF CONNOLLY ADJOURNED FOR THREE WEEKS.

The Lumber Cut of the Ottawa Mills Decreasing—St. Andrew's Day at Ottawa—Scotsmen Taking Action Regarding Donald Morrison, the Outlaw.

Special to the TIMES.]

OTTAWA, Nov. 30.—The trial of the Connollys and Hon. Thos. McGreevy was resumed to-day in the police court before Judge Ross. Mr. Osler was present and continued the prosecution. The evidence was principally of a technical character and little news was elicited. A new attempt is being made to prove that a portion of the $25,000 shown to be given to McGreevy came from the cross wall and bridge contracts.

The lumber cut of the Ottawa saw mills is 50 per cent. less this year than last.

Meredith is looking for a residence in Ottawa.

St. Andrew's day was observed here by a Scotch meeting in the hall at 2 o'clock, where the annual meeting was held, with Mr. McLean, of McLean, Roger Co., in the chair. A concert was held in the evening.

At the trial of Connolly this afternoon Judge Ross refused to admit any of the evidence taken before the Privileges and Elections Committee as evidence in the present case. The prosecution asked for an adjournment to the 22nd December, so that this point might be tested before the Court of Appeal. This was done.

The St. Andrew's Society discussed the question of bringing up the matter of Donald Morrison, the outlaw who was sentenced to 18 years a few years ago at Sherbrooke, for shooting a bailiff who was about to fire upon him, with a view of shortening his sentence. Morrison is in St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary. The society left the managing committee to enquire into the case.

OTTAWA Dec. 1.—James McLaren, the well known millionaire lumberman, is slowly sinking. He cannot live any time. He is at home in Buckingham. Mr. McLaren is heavily interested in the McLaren-Ross mills at New Westminster.

Pope Disapproves of Uprising.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The Rome correspondent of the Chronicle says: The Pope disapproves of the republican movement in France arising from the prosecution of the Archbishop of Aix, and has instructed the papal nuncio in Paris to try and suppress the agitation.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—It is believed in many quarters that the prosecution of the Archbishop of Aix was a false step on the part of the Government. Gaulois to-day says that the Minister of Foreign Affairs, in an interview with the papal nuncio at Paris, intimated that unless the Vatican advised moderation on the part of the French Bishops, the Government would feel inclined to cease opposing the separation of church and state.

No Assets Can be Found.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—There is no material change in the aspect of affairs in the office of the suspended firm, Field, Lindley, Welchers & Co., this morning. Assignee Gould said he knew nothing of the truth or falsity of published reports of alleged crooked transactions of Field. The statement that he had given any such information to a reporter is untrue. He sought in vain for assets, but was unable to get even enough to pay the clerks. There was no bank account whatever, and only a faint hope remained with him that there might be some call loans belonging to the firm upon which he might be able to realize something to defray necessary expenses.

The Papal Question Settled.

ROME, Nov. 30.—Count Kalnoky's recent reference in Austrian delegation to papal questions have caused intense excitement in Rome. Replying to a question in the Chamber of Deputies to-day, Signor Nicolea, Minister of the Interior, declined to comment on Count Kalnoky's words, which he believed were incorrectly telegraphed, but declared that as far as Italy was concerned the Roman question was absolutely closed. This declaration was received with unanimous applause and approved by the whole liberal press.

No Certainty of Peace.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The latest dispatches from Rio Grande do Sul are alarming. The national guard is mobilized, and fears are entertained that the issue is a grave one. Officials of Rio Grande are obstinate in their refusal to comply with orders from Rio Janeiro instructing them to reinstate the former officials of state.

Workmen's Pension Bill.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Mr. Chamberlain has forwarded the draft of the workmen's pension bill to Morley for submission to Gladstone. The Government, after consulting with landlords, has decided to introduce the bill at the coming session, recasting the whole law of evidence in their own behalf.

Two Potentates Meet.

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—Emperor William met the King of Denmark on his arrival at Potsdam yesterday. Cordial greetings were exchanged. A grand reception was given the king. Last night Christian bade adieu to the emperor and started on his return to Copenhagen.

Convicts Shall Work.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 30.—"The convicts shall be returned to the mines, if it takes every able-bodied man in the state to do it," said Governor Buchanan last night.

Although the governor is reticent, from other sources information is gathered concerning the matter. The lessees have made demands upon the state for convicts. This demand was answered promptly that when the convicts were captured they would be returned if supplied with a sufficient guard and proper quarters, to be built at once. This will take about two weeks. The guard will not be taken from existing militia companies of the state, but men will be enlisted for the purpose. About 300 of the 672 released convicts have been captured.

THOMAS B. M'CLUNG,

Captain of the Yale Team.

McClung is a veteran athlete. His early boyhood days were spent at Knoxville, Tenn., where he manifested great ability in out-door sports. Subsequently as a pupil at Phillips Exeter Academy, he was a leader in both baseball and football. He was a catcher of the nine for several years and was captain of the football team the last year of his stay at the preparatory school. As a tennis player he often represented the crimson and gray in the semi-annual tournaments with Andover. He entered Yale in the fall of 1889, and was given the position of half-back in the team. McClung is 22 years old. He is of good stature, strongly built and remarkably agile.

R. W TRAFFORD,

Captain of the Harvard Team.

Trafford succeeded Cummock as Captain of the Harvard team. His men call him "Birnie." He is in the Junior Class and has played three years for his college, as full back for two years. The victory of the Harvards over Yale last year was the occasion of his being made captain. While on the Exeter eleven, previous to his entering Harvard, he held the captaincy. Trafford has a cool head and good judgment, is a fast runner, a clever dodger, and a long and accurate kicker.

Lottery Officers in the Toils.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—President Conrad, Secretary Horner, and eight employees of the Louisana State Lottery Company, appeared before the United States commissioner this morning to answer an indictment found against them at San Antonia, Tex., on a charge of violating the anti-lottery postal law. They gave bail in the sum of $1000 each to appear at the next term of the United States court at San Antonio.

A Blizzard in Virginia.

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 30.—A blizzard of a severity almost unknown in this section struck the city early this morning, and snow is lying seven or eight inches on a level. For the first time in years sleighs are on the streets. At Fortress Monroe it has been snowing since midnight, and is the worst storm seen there for years. Reports from a large number of cities in Virginia say that the weather is unusually severe.

Bridge Jumper Arrested.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 30.—A man known as Dutch Charlie jumped from the Morrison street bridge into the Willamitte River, a distance of about 50 feet, this afternoon for a purse of $100.

The jumper would have drowned had he not received speedy assistance. Upon his being brought to shore he was placed under arrest.

Mysterious Explosion.

MANCHESTER, Nov. 30.—A mysterious explosion occurred in the market at Blackburn, a place 30 miles from here, this morning, by which three buildings were completely demolished. It is feared at least 20 persons are killed. The number injured is not known, but must be large.

LATER.—Authentic information places the loss of life at ten.

Will Define His Attitude.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Secretary Blaine will in a few days publicly state his position in reference to the presidential nomination, with a view of putting a stop to party factions, and that he and President Harrison have reached an agreement which looks to the success of the candidate and not to any individual.

Cyrus Field Very Ill.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Dr. Fuller, who is attending Cyrus W. Field, this morning said he is still very much prostrated, and has greater bodily weakness. Strict quietness is necessary.

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ANNUAL DINNER OF ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

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"HURRAH! for the land of the thistle and heather,
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No country on earth can our loved land excel!

There was a jolly crowd of honest Scotch faces around the table at Delmonico's last night. They were "a' John Tamson's Bairns" and brithers for ae nicht, and had come together to renew memories of the dear old land they have left, but can never, never forget—the land of Wallace and of Bruce, of Burns and of Scott; the land that has been often over-run by foes, but never yet conquered. Many Scotsmen have found their way to this part of the continent, and here, as in every part of the world (and they are in every part of the world) they are to be found occupying prominent and important positions in the community. Their's the faces that would melt into tenderness when some orator would tell them of the noble mind and tender heart of the poet who could not crush a daisy or make a mouse homeless without an expression of pity, and had a word of kindness for the very deil himself; but the look on those faces would change into sternness and enthusiasm at the mention of the deeds of valor of Wallace and Bruce.

The dinner was served in the best style of the Delmonico. The Haggis (*a la Francaise*) was served with all the honors due to the "king of the puddin' race," Mr. Mackenzie Munro ushering him in to the music of his pipes. President Robertson was in the chair at the head of the table, and on his right and left sat Premier Robson and Mayor Grant. Messrs. Redfern, Leach, Austin, Lorimer, McKay, Munn, Dr. Milne, Lovell, Rev. M. C. Browne, Bishop, Tolmie, Flewin, Belyea and several others were also present.

After letters regretting inability to be present had been read from a number of prominent men, among them Lieut-Governor Nelson, the toast list was proceeded with. President Robertson proposed "the Queen, the Prince of Wales and members of the Royal family," which were honored in the usual way. George Bishop, the first vice-president, then proposed the toast of the "United States," the crowd singing the "Star-Spangled Banner."

Mr. Cowie's song, "Come Under My Plaidie," was well rendered and received loud applause. After the health of the Lieut.-Governor had been drunk with good will, Mayor Grant rose and proposed "the Press," in one of his characteristic speeches. It was full of humorous descriptions of the trials and vexations of an editor's life, and created much laughter. Mr. Ratham responded on behalf of the Colonist, and the TIMES representative was loudly called for, but being a modest and retiring young man, and never having addressed a public assembly in his life, he asks the privilege of tackling something less critical than a Scotch audience to begin with.

Ald. Munn was then called for and responded in his usual clever manner.

"The Army, Navy and Volunteers" were toasted, and responded to by Messrs. McAlpin and Calhoun, the latter creating much laughter when he said if Nelson was not a Scotchman he was brave enough to be one.

Mr. John Hagarty sang "Oh, Sing to Me the Auld Scotch Sangs," in excellent style, the audience being delighted with his evident appreciation of his theme.

In proposing the toast of the Dominion Senate and House of Commons, Dr. Milne took exception to the toast of the Press being put so near the head of the list, but in proposing the Local Government and Legislature Mr. W. A. Robertson held that as the Press was the moulder and former of public opinion, which in turn formed Governments, the change was justified and a good one.

Hon. John Robson replied to the toast of the "Local Legislature." He said it was utterly impossible to have unanimity of opinion in legislatures or anywhere else. There was no doubt the Government of this Province was trying to do the best it could for the good of the community, but all were not of one mind, and could not be expected to be of one mind, as to the way in which the welfare of all was to be best arrived at. He said there were differences of opinion even among members of the cabinet, and how could it be expected the community would be of one mind. The hon. gentleman then referred to the prominent position Scotchmen occupy everywhere on this continent, and said that even in England they had to go north of the Tweed to get a man to lead the House of Commons. There was no doubt that Mr. Balfour was the coming man in the English Conservative party.

Mayor Grant followed Mr. Robson, pointing out the difficulty met in trying to satisfy everybody, considering how liable we all are to make mistakes.

Dr. Milne also made a few remarks, after which Mr. Gray sang the comic song, "I am a Railway Porter," which was very amusing.

"The Mining and Agricultural Interests," was the next toast, and was proposed by Mr. Lorimer, and followed by the "Bench and Bar and Clergy," by Mr. Calhoun. Rev. Mr. Browne responded for the clergy and Mr. F. B. Gregory for the bench and bar. Mr. Redfern sang, "Simon the Cellarer," and Mr. A. B. Gray proposed the "Mayor and Council."

This brought the speech of the evening from Mayor Grant. He went fully into the subject of municipal politics, pointing out the difficulties the mayor and aldermen had to contend with, and said none of the members of the council had ever committed an act which would cast a slur on that body. He was loudly cheered when he sat down.

Messrs. Munn, Robertson and Holland responded on behalf of the aldermen, when the following toasts brought the annual gathering to a close: "Sister Societies," Jas. McArthur; "Scotsmen Wherever They Be," R. Mackenzie Munro; "The Land We Live In," Munro Miller; "The Ladies," H. Helmcken.

NANAIMO NEWS.

The Court of Assize—Another Case of Thought it Wasn't Loaded.

NANAIMO, Dec. 1.—The Court of Assize opened here to-day at 2 o'clock. Judge Crease presided. Among the most important cases to be brought forward is the conspiracy case. An application will be made in the latter for a change of venue. It is most probable the case will be tried in Victoria, but should the defence ask that it be sent to Westminster their request may be granted.

A WELCOME SIGHT.

On Saturday the harbor was entirely deserted of ships of all sizes and everything had a gloomy appearance, but during Sunday and Monday morning the aspect looked as business-like as ever. The way the mines are working now the three ships so far in port will be sufficient to keep them employed for the next two weeks. There are however a number of other vessels at sea making for this port, and they may arrive here at any moment and will be a welcome sight.

PLAYING WITH FIREARMS.

A young man named Dan Ross was fooling with a loaded revolver on Sunday last and it accidentally went off, shooting him through the arm. The ball passed clean through the arm.

POORLY FURNISHED APARTMENTS.

William Curran, who is known here as the "third candidate," he having at one time announced himself as such for a seat in the legislature, was charged yesterday with being drunk and disturbing the peace on Saturday night. He got off with a fine.

HOW THE MERCHANTS ARE ROBBED.

The merchants of this city have often been at a loss to understand how certain goods consigned to them have turned out short. The E. & N. Railroad Company has just discovered one individual named John Williams who was exceptionally friendly with the station agent's assistant at Nanaimo, and by this means carried on a robbery systematically, but was eventually caught by a detective. The company are to be commended upon their promptness in this matter, and the conviction of the thief may be a warning to others who sometimes break open boxes to sample the contents.

LITTLE EVENTS.

The Caledonian Society gave their annual supper in the dining-hall of the Palace Hotel last evening, and the event was a conspicuous one.

The issuing of the Nanaimo Advertiser will be unavoidably delayed for a week, owing to the non-arrival of the machinery.

The public are resolved to punish those individuals who furnish the "small boy" with cigarettes, and a case of this kind will be brought up in the court on Wednesday.

Several of the arc lamps were lit on the streets of Nanaimo last evening, and the success was immense.

THE CHINESE REVOLUTION.

The Rebels Advance on the City of Pekin—Dangerous Situation.

PEKIN, Nov. 30.—The government is fully aware of the serious condition which confronts it, and every possible step is being taken to break the strength of the rebels before they get within striking distance of the capital. There is much excitement among all classes of population, and the authorities believe that if they can inflict defeat upon the rebel forces, it will have a good effect upon the people of Pekin and vicinity. It is believed that many people are secretly in favor of the rebels, but, should the imperial forces do battle with the insurgents and defeat them, the malcontents would then side with the government.

No doubt is entertained that the situation is dangerous. Should the rebel forces continue to advance to the capital, in spite of the efforts of the imperial troops to prevent them, it is feared by foreigners that the whole country will rise and aid the invaders. The garrison of Shankaikivan has been sent to suppress other insurrectionary bodies which are marching in various directions through the country, evidently with the intention of joining the main body.

The most serious condition of affairs exists at Takoa. At this place most brutal outrages were committed on priests, nuns and converts. What action the government will take in this matter is hard to say. That the officers are in full sympathy with the perpetrators of these most horrible crimes, there is no reason to doubt. The first reports from Takoa state that after these fiends worked their bloody will on all Christian men, women and children who fell into their hands they were feasted by leading Chinese mandarins of the district. It is now said the local mandarins agreed to allow the rebels free license for the outrage of Christians, provided they did no harm to other inhabitants. These terms were accepted by the rebels, and they pursued their work without hindrance. Three hundred Europeans and native Christians were massacred. It is believed that not a single Christian in that district escaped.

Consternation prevails among the Protestant missionaries in the district through which it is expected the rebels will pass. The local officials of Tsunha declare they are powerless to protect the missionaries, and that if they desired to save their lives they had better seek safety in flight. The missionaries at Tsunha have therefore abandoned their stations and sought refuge in safer parts of the country.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

Opening of the New Imperial—A First-Class Performance—Full House.

Last night's performance at the Imperial Theatre proved to Victorians that a really good play can be witnessed at a living price. The large audience which had gathered to welcome the Belmour-Gray Co. were enthusiastic in their reception of the players, and justly so too, for the several parts of the Lady of Lyons were portrayed artistically and well. Miss Kate Dalgleish, Frank Armstrong, Louis Belmour and C. M. Gray won fresh laurels, and have made themselves favorites with Victoria theatre goers. The need of a cosy family theatre has been apparent for some time in Victoria, and the Imperial fills the bill. There is no doubt but what the success of the Imperial is assured, if last night's performance is a guarantee of future work. "The Lady of Lyons" will be repeated to-night and to-morrow, and commencing Thursday the sparkling comedy "Confusion" will be placed on the boards. Everybody present last night had words of praise for the newly renovated theatre and the members of the company.

NOTES.

It was stated in last evening's paper that Mr. Rice had withdrawn from the management of the Imperial Company. The fact that Mr. J. Ward had taken the contract of the new theatre was the cause of the statement, it having been understood that he was in charge of the company as well. Mr. Rice still acts for the company.

J. Rush Bronson and his bride, nee Ray Lewis, were tendered a banquet and ball on their arrival at Seattle last week, after the wedding here, by the attaches of Cordray's Seattle theatre. Both Ray and Rush are well liked and popular.

GLADSTONE SPEAKS.

Justice to Ireland and to Labor the Aim of the Liberals.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Gladstone was to-day a participant in the exercises attending the formal opening of a hall at Port Sunlight, near Birkenhead. He made an address of considerable length, devoting much attention to reviewing Salisbury's argument in the Birmingham speech. He declared that Salisbury seemed ignorant of what was going on in the British Empire. Salisbury had called home rule a capsuled medicine.

Speaking of the labor question, Gladstone said the problem could be solved only by sound civil, secular and Christian feeling and respect for mutual rights. Profit sharing was attractive, but there was the question of what to do when there was loss instead of profit. Strikes were only adapted to what he might call a rude state of industry. Much might be hoped from co-operative distribution and production toward a solution of the problem, because this would give the laborer the same position and feeling as the capitalist.

In an eloquent peroration Gladstone appealed to his hearers to give the workers, besides an increase in wages and decrease in hours, a sense of common feeling with their employers; to establish the brotherhood of man and man; to look to the heart and conscience as well as the appetite and ambition of the solution of these difficulties, and above all to look to the Providence that shapes our ends and recollect the sacred work: "Behold how good and pleasant a thing it is for brethren to dwell together in unity."

GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATION.

Catholics of the Country Honor Bishop Kendrick at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 1.—Dignitaries and laymen of the Roman Catholic church from all parts of the country gathered on Sunday to attend the opening of the golden jubilee of Peter Richard Kendrick, bishop of the archdiocese of St. Louis for the past fifty years. Solemn thanksgiving services were held in all the Catholic churches of the city. In most of them visiting prelates pontificated and sermons germane to the service were delivered. Archbishop Ireland's lecture at Music hall Sunday night was the prominent feature of the festivities. His subject was "The Church and Workingmen."

A jubilee mass was celebrated yesterday morning in the old cathedral on lower Walnut street, which has stood there since 1834. Owing to his advanced age, 85 years, Archbishop Kendrick did not officiate as celebrant, that duty being assigned to Cardinal Gibbons. The jubilee sermon was delivered by Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia. The Catholic Knights of America will tender a reception to Archbishop Jansen, of New Orleans, supreme spiritual director of the organization, Wednesday evening. The knights intend to make the occasion the feature of the week to show that the recent trouble which disturbed their ranks has not produced the least discord among them. The remainder of the week will be given up to receptions.

Will Not Prosecute.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 30.—Excitement over the kidnapping case has subsided, principally on account of the announcement that Mr. Beals will not prosecute the abductors. Beals asserts that his honor is involved, because he gave his word to "ask no questions." No trace of the man who returned the child is yet discovered, but the police are still searching for him. Prosecuting Attorney Brown, in an interview to-night, stated as Beals had nothing whatever to do with the prosecution of the prisoners further than that he might be called upon to testify at the trial, if he declined to testify then, he might be imprisoned for contempt or arrested as an accomplice after the fact, assisting the escape of the man to whom the ransom was paid.

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8:00 a.m.	Lv	M1	Tacoma	Ar	5:15 a.m.
10:15 a.m.	Lv	24	Seattle	Lv	3:00 a.m.
1:30 p.m.	Lv	72	Pt Townsend	Lv	11:45 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	Ar	117	Victoria	Lv	8:30 p.m.

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6:45 p.m.	Lv	M1	†Tacoma	Ar	4:30 p.m.
9:00 p.m.	Lv	24	Seattle	Lv	2:30 p.m.
12:15 a.m.	Lv	72	Pt Townsend	Lv	11:30 a.m.
2:25 a.m.	Lv	105	Anacortes	Lv	9:15 a.m.
6:45 a.m.	Ar	121	Fairhaven	Lv	8:00 a.m.
6:10 a.m.	Ar	125	Sehome	Lv	7:30 a.m.
4:30 a.m.	Ar	124	Whatcom*	M1	Lv 6:00 a.m.

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TIME TABLE No. 15,

Taking effect Oct. 1, 1891.

Vancouver Route.

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New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 12 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 1 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 12 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwhack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Ft. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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†6:30 p.m.	Lv.	Tacoma	r.	†4:15 p.m.
8:15 p.m.	Ar.	Seattle	Lv.	2:30 p.m.
9:00 p.m.	Lv.	Seattle	Ar.	1:0 p.m.
12:01 a.m.	Ar.	Port Townsend	Lv.	10:30 a.m.
12:30 a.m.	Lv.	Port Townsend	Ar.	10:15 a.m.
*3:30 a.m.	Ar.	Victoria	Lv.	†7:30 a.m.

*Daily, except Sunday. †Daily except Saturday. Victoria passengers may remain on board until 7 a.m.

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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO. 15.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 20th, 1891.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	Miles from Wellington.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.
	P M	P M			A M	P M	
	5 00	12 30	Ar. Victoria Lv.	0	8 00	2 30	
	5 44	1 14	Russells	16	8 44	3 14	
	5 54	1 24	Esquimalt	18	8 54	3 24	
	6 04	1 34	Shawnigan Lake	28	9 04	3 34	
	6 30	2 00	Goldstream	36	9 30	4 00	
	6 44	2 14	Mapleguard	41	9 44	4 14	
	6 54	2 24	Koksilah	46	9 54	4 24	
	7 04	2 34	Duncans	53	10 04	4 34	
	7 30	3 00	Somenos	66	10 30	5 00	
	7 44	3 14	Chemainus	74	10 44	5 14	
	P M	P M	Ar. Nanaimo Lv.	85	A M	P M	
			Wellington	87			
	Dp.	Ar.			Ar.	Dp.	

ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

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THE MASSACRED MISSIONARIES

The Massacre Without Parallel in the History of China.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Chronicle's correspondent at Tientsin says: The official report of the Tokoa massacre contains details almost without parallel even in the history of China. Previously the dispatches have given but a faint idea of what happened. The members of the little Belgian mission had no opportunity of escaping. The slaughter commenced with the killing of the native converts, many of whom were put to death with fiendish cruelty. Children of tender years were seized by the savages, hacked with knives and roasted at huge fires. A worse fate still befel the nuns, who were subjected to the grossest indignities, being brutally outraged by fiends, who afterwards brained them with massive clubs. The Belgian priests were cruelly tortured, but met their fate with Christian resignation. One had his heart and tongue torn from his body, and his body was burned by the savages in murderous frenzy.

The most astounding statement is that after the miscreants had been satisfied with outrage and slaughter they were feasted and feted by the leading Chinese mandarin in the district. The foreign diplomatic body at Pekin is simply furious. The whole European colony is boiling with indignation. The news from Mongolia is serious. The rebel forces are reported growing larger, and their forward march has continued so far uninterruptedly. The imperial troops are not yet in touch with the rebels. Further detachments of troops have been ordered forward. The rebels in their southward march occupied many towns without any resistance being made by the populace. At all places through which they passed the rebels made requisitions on the inhabitants for supplies. A dispatch from St. Petersburg gives the contents of a private telegram about the Chinese disturbances, received by the Nove-Vremya from Vladivlostock, and statements are made to confirm those of the Chronicle's Tientsin correspondent.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Advices from Shanghai are to the effect that the rebel forces in Manchvria defeated the imperial troops sent to suppress the rising in that region. The imperial forces numbered 4,000, and the defeat causes the government great anxiety. Reinforcements to the number of 5,000 have been dispatched from Tientsin to oppose the rebels, who are marching to Pekin. If the imperial troops are again defeated the position of Pekin and Tientsin will be extremely critical.

THE EVANGELISTS.

The First Meeting in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

In welcoming the evangelists last evening to the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Rev. Mr. Macleod announced that every night during the present week its doors would be open and its accommodation free for all. Meetings to commence at the usual hour.

On Tuesday and Thursday afternoons there will be a Bible reading, conducted by Messrs. Crossley and Hunter, in the Y.M.C.A. Hall from 3 to 4 o'clock. They invite everybody to come and bring their Bibles with them.

Mr. Crossley last evening sang two sacred solos, "Though Your Sins Be As Scarlet," and "The Hand Writing on the Wall." His address was a powerful appeal both for renewed endeavor in Christians and for a right decision in sinners, the text being, "Joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repents."

Mr. Hunter took the 22nd chap. of Luke's gospel, reading it through from the 44th verse to the end, and commenting particularly on the character of Peter.

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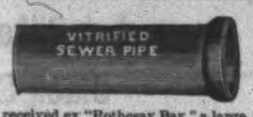

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KEEPING UP THEIR COURAGE.

Tory journals seem to regard the demonstration at Perth in honor of Postmaster-General Haggart last week with a great deal of satisfaction. There is no doubt that as an attempt at "whistling to keep their courage up" it was to all outward appearance a successful performance on the part of Hon. J. Haggart and his colleagues. It seems that no less than eight Cabinet Ministers accompanied Mr. Haggart to Perth to take part in the demonstration—Sir John Thompson, Mr. Bowell, Mr. Foster, Mr. Tupper, Mr. Carling, Mr. Frank Smith, Mr. Chapleau and Mr. Costigan; only three were left at home—the Premier, Sir Adolphe Caron and Mr. Dewdney. An eastern exchange, remarking on this extraordinary array of Cabinet members, says: "They were present in such numbers because they knew Mr. Haggart stood compromised before the country; because they felt in their own hearts and consciences that his political character was in need of whitewash, and as they had resolved to hang together rather than hang separately they collected at Perth for the very unworthy if not scandalous purpose of cramming down the thaoat of the public a certificate of character that they hoped would stand them all in good stead in the trying times which had overtaken them. Not four ministers, much less eight, would have gone trooping after the Postmaster-General to what proved an insignificant meeting, if he and they did not believe deep down in their hearts that some unusual demonstration was necessary to counteract an impression that has taken hold of the people, that all is not exactly right with Mr. Haggart any more than with some of his colleagues. If they were concious of no cause for suspicion; if they believed that he and they alike were above reproach, the country would not have been treated to the extraordinary and unparalleled spectacle of nine cabinet ministers congregated on one platform in a small country town. The meaning of it all is that the Government is on its defence. What against? We need not go beyond the very recent developments and the circumstances surrounding and attending them to ascertain."

Sir John Thompson, it seems, waxed very indignant with the Liberals on account of their action in stirring up so many scandals at the late session. Sometimes it suits Sir John to pose as the pure air shaft of the Cabinet, but the Perth demonstration was not one of those occasions. The Minister of Justice would seem to have thoroughly equipped himself beforehand for this characteristically Tory gathering, for he deliberately repeated the disproved assertion that the proposal for reciprocity negotiations last winter came from the Washington government. Now the official correspondence laid before the Canadian Parliament last session showed clearly that the first approach was made by Canada, and that Sir John Macdonald was guilty of trying to mislead the people when he stated otherwise in his famous proclamation. Sir John Thompson's offence is even worse, since it was committed directly in the face of the official statements which he must have read.

Minister Foster was of course the chief speaker on reciprocity at Perth, and it seems quite fair to infer from his speech that the Government has no hope of concluding any sort of a treaty with the States. They made it plainly apparent that they would not entertain the idea of granting reciprocity in manufactures, and everybody knows that the States will conclude no treaty which does not include that. Therefore it seems that the Government's famous reciprocity movement is already at an end.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Says the Toronto World: "Owen E. Murphy has been telling them in New York that he and his partners did some rare old stealing in Canada, and that if a most lamentable quarrel had not arisen among themselves they would in five years have owned the Canadian Pacific Railway and all Canada. This is rubbing it in with a vengeance. It aggravates public concern in the thievery that did occur, to know that it was such a windy blatherskite as Murphy who so easily victimized the men entrusted with administering our vast public affairs." The World would be more logical if it recognized the fact that the "men entrusted with administering our vast public affairs" were only too ready to be "victimized." Murphy did a great deal of selling as well as buying at Quebec and Ottawa.

Canada Presbyterian:—There is nothing in this world that gives a man preeminence as quickly as the gift of eloquence. Not so long ago the Hon. Wilfrid Laurier was a young lawyer in Arthabaskaville. In college he was noted for his elocution, and when he made his first speech in Parliament, Sir John Macdonald paid him a high compliment by saying that he had frequently heard of the young gentleman's oratorical powers, and he was not disappointed. Mr. Laurier spoke in Boston last evening, and all Canadian lovers of oratory will watch with more than usual interest the impression he made on the Hub. He has also been asked to present the portrait to Mr. Gladstone that the Liberals are giving to the Grand Old Man. Next to a good character there is nothing that pays better than a silvery tongue. Mr. Laurier has both. His speech on the death of Sir John Macdonald was one of the finest oratorical efforts ever made in this country. So thought Principal Grant and other good judges.

Montreal Witness: Those Imperial Federationists who are trying to make protection, in the shape of a preferential tariff, the basis of the permanent union of the Empire, and who made so much fuss over Col. Howard-Vincent and his preferential duties proposals, should read, mark, learn and inwardly digest the declaration Lord Salisbury, Col. Vincent's political leader and chief, made at the Guildhall banquet. Lord Salisbury, after showing some sympathy for the old Tories who still think that there must be something in protection, especially for English agriculturists, and who are inclined to view approvingly, if not exactly hopefully, the adoption of protection by other countries, nevertheless laid down the doctrine of free trrde for England most emphatically. He said: "I have no doubt that the commercial community of this country does not falter in its attachment to Free Trade; and I do not ascribe it to any special virtue in that respect, because the fact that the articles in respect to which we should have to exercise Protection, if we are to exercise it at all, are mainly articles of consumption bearing upon the necessities of the whole body of our population is, to my belief, an absolute guarantee that we shall never return to the ways of Protection." Surely that is flat. The idea that England would ever consent to a protective or preferential duty on grain was entertained only by Col. Vincent.

TUG OF WAR.

TO THE EDITOR:—Understanding that the B. C. Benevolent Society will hold an entertainment shortly, permit me to make the following suggestions: The new market building would be a first-class place to hold an international tug-of-war in. At the tournament recently held in San Francisco ten thousand persons attended nightly and the affair was a grand success. It would be no difficult matter to secure eight or ten teams of ten men and the contest would last during say four nights. Supposing the prizes amounted to $350, there is little doubt that 1000 persons would attend nightly and at fifty cents each the gate receipts would amount to $2000. If it would be found impossible to have an international tournament a tug-of-war might be arranged between representatives from the different societies in the city or between teams from the police, firemen, militia and bluejackets. D.

OKANAGAN NOTES.

Items of Interest Taken from the Vernon News Columns.

The Indians across the line, having killed off their own game, a few days ago came over into this province, but were at once ordered to leave by Mr. Kruger, of Osooyos.

Mr. R. Ochsner, whose brewery has been completed since October 15th and who has expended over $3000 in its erection, is experiencing considerable delay and annoyance in the matter of obtaining his license on account of red tape circumlocution in the matter of the appointment of an excise man.

Arrangements are being made by a number of Vernonites to form a skating club, to break the dull monotony of the winter.

The banquet given to Mr. M. Lumby, J.P., by his many friends in this district in recognition of his success in promoting the construction of the S. & O., took place at the Coldstream hotel, Vernon, on Tuesday evening. Mr. A. L. Fortune, J. P., of Enderby, the pioneer settler of the Spallumcheen valley, officiated as chairman, and very enjoyable time was had.

The store of Theo. Kruger, of Osooyos lake, was broken into on the night of the 18th and $180 taken from the till. The burglar also helped himself to a suit of clothes and a supply of tobacco.

There is great talk of the N.P.R.R. branching out into this country next spring. American capital is already largely invested here, four quartz mines on Boundary creek having been bonded since October 15th.

Several ranches at Grand Prairie have changed hands during the past 30 days, at good figures.

NOTES FROM NELSON.

Mining and Other News Taken From the Columns of the "Miner."

The trail from Kasio City to the Slocan district is reported built four miles beyond the end of the Government trail—about nine miles in all. The Keen party are at work on the wagon road survey. Green Brothers, of Ainsworth, have the frame of their store building up, and four men are at work putting in a floating wharf. About 25 men are employed on the trail, and half as many more engaged in various occupations at the townsite.

The roads are so bad between Kootenay, Idaho, and the steamboat landing at Bonner's Ferry, that freight for both the Ferry and Kootenay Lake points has been reshipped from Kootenay station around by Spokane and Little Dalles to Nelson. Part of the material for the Hendryx smelter at Pilot Bay had to be thus reshipped, Dr. Hendryx refusing to pay the wagon rate of 2½ cents a pound.

Articles incorporating the Spokane & Great Northern Mining Company have been filed in the auditor's office at Spokane, Washington. The company is organized to develop and work mines and prospects in British Columbia and elsewhere. The capital stock of the company is divided into 2,000,000 shares of $1 each.

The Miner has repeatedly called the attention of the capitalists of Victoria and other coast towns to the necessity of investing a share of their capital in the mining industry, an industry that is second to no other as a dividend payer when carefully handled. Helena, Montana, is one of the wealthiest towns in America, if not the wealthiest in the world, and the main source of its wealth has been and is the business of mining.

The general agent at Revelstoke of the Columbia & Kootenay Steam Navigation Company writes the Miner, under date of the 13th, as follows: "The water has fell over two feet in the last three nights, so it is considered too risky to have the Lytton make another trip up to Revelstoke. Hereafter she will be run between the mouth of Kootenay river and Little Dalles, leaving for the latter place on Wednesdays."

The claims in the Kootenay lake country need no one thing more than development work. If a smelter was ready to-day to treat ore, how many mines are there in the several districts in shape to make a continuous ore output? There are prospects by the hundreds from which to make selections on which to expend money, but the number on which actual development work has been, or is being, done is comparatively small.

The manager of the Victoria branch of the Bank of British North America took a look at Nelson one day this week. When asked if he was afraid the Bank of British Columbia or Bank of Montreal would be in this field ahead of him he laughingly replied, "No; I do not think either bank will be here until there is business to justify their coming." All of which means that this is not the commercial centre we think it is.

The first annual ball and supper of Deluge Hook and Ladder Company on Thursday night was an event that the members of that organization can look back to with pride as well as pleasure, for it was a great success in every way.

Two water companies are applying for charters to operate in Nelson, and the same number of electric light companies. If the charters are granted for waterworks, the owners of the present works will be ground exceedingly fine between the upper and nether millstones of corporate labor.

While Nelson may not have as large and expensive hotel buildings as some of its neighbors, it boasts of several hotels that are not to be sneezed at.

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ROME, Nov. 30.—The Pope has paid $50,000 for certain manuscripts in the Borghese library, which fill the gap in the Vatican archives, due to the burning of the library of Boniface VIII.

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Fixed the Fence.

The fence at the city cells has been made higher and safer, and it will be a pretty lively prisoner who gets over it now, in fact a balloon or a scaling ladder would be necessary.

Public Library.

During November 2,765 books were issued from the public library: the highest day 164, and an average of 115 daily. There were 68 new cards issued, 20 to ladies and 48 to gentlemen.

Cash Will Buy

18 pounds of sugar for $1; Christmas hams at 17cts per pound; fresh eastern eggs at 25cts per doz., at Wm. Eckert's, 106 Yates street.

Entrance Examinations.

The examinations for entrance to the High school are being held at the High school to-day, Supt. Pope, the examiner, being in charge. There are 53 candidates, all of whom, of course, are confident of passing.

$5.00

Save one dollar and sign for Williams' Official Directory edition 1892 for $4.00, payable on delivery of book. Advertisers are advised to hasten their orders for this valuable medium. P.O. box 485, Victoria, B.C. mws

Sentenced to Six Months.

The case of John Cleary, charged with larceny, was up before Messrs. Ward and Dalby, Justices of the Peace, in the provincial court this morning. After the court had heard the evidence the prisoner was sentenced to six months at hard labor.

A Great Convenience.

From this date Jackson & Mylius, jewellers, 76 Government street, will send for your clock, and return it when properly adjusted. Call, or drop in a card, which will have our prompt attention. Watches and jewelery repaired. All work guaranteed.

Board of Trade Report.

The eighth annual report of the New Westminster Board of Trade has been issued. It shows careful compilation, and is a mirror of the trade and a chronicle of the rapid growth of the Royal City. The printing has been done by Louis & Greig and is very well done.

Dancing School.

Those desiring to learn the art of dancing will now have an opportunity. All the late society dances taught. Classes are now being formed. Those wishing to join should call early. Lessons given at private residences if desired. Call or address Prof. Hilliger, 56 Pandora street. n25-1w

City Taxes and Votes.

City taxpayers filed into the City Hall yesterday to pay up their taxes, be recorded as voters and save the amount that is added to the rate if not paid before the 1st of December. The sum of $56,000 was paid into the treasury and up to noon to-day 125 householders had filed their declarations for city voters.

New Goods.

Oolachans, Yarmouth bloaters, Clover Leaf brand lobsters, Bowlby Bros'. tomatoes, corn, pease and peaches. Spanish onions, pea flour (Glasgow,) new Valencia raisins, currants, layer raisins, shelled almonds and Dr. Price's extracts. 33 Fort street, Red Front Store.

Customs Returns.

During the month the Victoria duties were $75,436.95; other revenues, $9,146.14; making a total of $84,583.09. For the corresponding period last year the figures were $79,659.02, being an increase for November, 1889, of $8,624.07. The imports for the month were, dutiable, $202,051, and free, $65,364; total, $267,415.

Could Not Agree.

The jury in the case of Regina vs. Keene, charged with attempted rape, after having been in consultation for three hours last evening, returned to court and announced that they could not agree, 11 being for acquittal and 1 for conviction. The jury was dismissed and the case will be retried on the 11th instant.

Charged With Procuring.

Yesterday evening Supt. Sheppard arrested a Chinese woman named Ng Suey on the charge of procuring girls for immoral purposes. This traffic in Chinese girls is one of the evils of a Mongolian section of a city and seems to be almost impossible to break up. Supt. Sheppard has taken this first case in hand, and will endeavor to obtain a conviction.

Water for Revelstoke.

Revelstoke water supply scheme is nearing fruition, says the Kootany Star, thanks to the untiring energy of Mr. W. Cowan, who has kept the matter well to the front for the past three years. He has been making a canvass of the citizens, and thus far has obtained 15 names of intending subscribers and an aggregate of $76 a month towards the guaranteed income of $160 a month required by the company.

Annual Bazaar.

The members of the Ladies' Guild of St. John's Church have been hard at work all day to-day preparing for their annual bazaar, which opens in the school room, Herald street, at 2:30 to-morrow afternoon. Fancy goods of all descriptions will be offered for sale during the afternoon and evening. A high tea will be served between 6 and 8 p.m. On Thursday evening a grand concert will be held.

Skipped Out.

The sequel to the brutal assault on a woman at the Standard Theatre on Saturday morning came up in the police court this morning, when Gus Barry was summoned to appear and answer to the charge of assault. Barry failed to appear and a bench warrant was issued for his arrest, although he is known to have left the country. Barry is an all round bad man, and the city has lost nothing by his absence, although it is a pity he could not have been punished for his cowardly and brutal behavior.

To Builders.

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Court of Revision.

Mr. Edwin Johnson, Q. C., sat at the City Hall this afternoon as a court of revision of the Dominion voters' list. One or two changes and omissions were made right.

Electric Wire Inspector.

A meeting of the board of underwriters and fire wardens was held this afternoon to consider the advisability of recommending the appointment of an electric wire inspector.

The Empress of China.

The steamer Empress of China, from the Orient, passed Otter Point at 2:15 this afternoon, and at the hour of going to press was just off the outer wharf and coming to an anchor. She is 12 days out.

Broken Wires.

The high wind this morning blew down one of the poles on which the fire alarm wires are strung and caused a disarrangement of the wires for a short time. The break was soon repaired.

Geo. A. Shade

Has removed to 81½ Yates street, opposite the Clarence hotel where he is prepared to make and repair boots and shoes at short notice. All kinds of rubber goods repaired. Satisfaction guaranteed or no charge. 1m

Expected Home.

The Upton line ss. Zambesi is due from the Orient with a large amount of freight for Victoria and other points. Mr. Geo. A. Keefer, of the firm of Keefer & Smith, civil engineers, who has been engaged surveying for a Siberian railway, is expected home on the Zambesi.

Maas-Schiers.

The R. C. pro-Cathedral, on View street, was crowded last evening, it being the occasion of the wedding of Mr. A. Maas to Miss Marie Schiers, a niece of Jacob Sehl. Rev. Father Nicolaye celebrated the marriage ceremony. Mr. Thos. Geiger supported the bridegroom, and Misses Dolly Sehl and Dolly Van Volkenburgh acted as bridesmaids. After the ceremony the party drove to Mr. Jacob Sehl's residence at Laurel Point, where a large number of friends had assembled, and where a reception was held. A sumptuous repast was spread and several hours spent in dancing and other amusements.

Will Sell by Auction.

Messrs. C. B. Lockhart & Co., the Government street furniture dealers, who have been offering their stock for sale at cost for some time, are anxious to clear out the balance of their goods, and with that object in view have instructed Messrs. Chas. Green & Co., auctioneers, to sell their entire stock of furniture on Thursday, commencing at 10:30. The stock is a new one, and housekeepers will be given a splendid chance to obtain what they want. Mr. Lockhart leaves for the East, via California, shortly after the sale to buy new hearses for the firm's undertaking establishment at Vancouver. Mr. Centre, of the firm, will take charge of the undertaking business at Vancouver, and Mr. Lockhart will manage the Victoria branch.

Chemical Works Possible.

Mr. W. Jensen, of the Dallas Hotel, has just received a letter from Mr. John A. Hall, a cousin of his, of the Clayton Aniline Works, Manchester, making enquiries as to the opening here for a chemical works. Mr. Hall is a very clever chemist, and has made many important discoveries in his profession of much practical good to the arts. He is a young man of some capital, and thinks there might be an opening here. He believes sulphuric and other acids could be produced here at a much less cost than importing, as the basis of the acid, iron pyrites, are known to exist in quantities here. Any information as to the advisability of the idea would be very thankfully received by Mr. Jensen. The one thing needed in British Columbia is manufactures, and if a chemical works could be established to deal with some of the waste raw material lying about, the country would grow richer.

Conductors' Troubles.

Amongst the many pleasant and agreeable duties that the street car conductors have to contend with was one noticed on the Fort street car Sunday morning, in which a lady and a man figured very prominently. The conductor, through not being informed, or by a misunderstanding, carried the lady a few yards past her destination, where he stopped, and finding the street in a bad condition he asked the motorneer to go on to the next crossing, where he, in as gentlemanly a manner as possible, assisted the lady to alight. Perhaps there might have been some excuse for the lady finding fault, but it was certainly uncalled for that a disinterested man should take up the matter in such a haughty, overbearing and insulting manner, threatening to report, and to all appearance trying to get the conductor to lose his position. The only retaliation given was, "if you report, I hope you will report correctly." Such actions might have been tolerated in times of slavery, but in this nineteenth century, in this country where all men's rights are equal and have equal privileges, bulldozing should not be allowed, and had the conductor politely laid the bear in the street he would have had the sympathy of the onlookers.

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BOUND FOR B. C.

Nova Scotian Sealing Schooners on Their Way to Victoria.

The Halifax Mail of November 20th contains an item referring to the new schooners now on their way to Victoria from Nova Scotia. Of the Dora Sieward, the Mail says: "The schooner presented a pretty marine picture, looked like a yacht and was greatly admired by those who saw her. The Sieward was built at Lunenburg by a well-known builder, and was purchased in the stocks by Captain Sieward, who named her after his seven-year-old daughter. Her size is 98 tons, and the vessel is coppered and copper fastened, and built of the best materials in a thorough and substantial manner. Captain Bellamy, who commands her, is well known in the West Indian trade.

The Maitland schooners, W. P. Hall and Marie, left St. Johns Nov. 19th, and the schooner Liboie, Captain Hackett, and Willie McGowan, Captain Dalley, left North Sydney a week later. The Arietas, Captain Martin, left Halifax on the 21st.

NAVAL NOTES.

The New Officers for H.M. Ships Champion and Pheasant.

H.M.S. Daphne has been ordered to Esquimalt. It is expected she will arrive some time next month.

H.M.S. Melpomene will also come north as soon as she is relieved by one of the ships south, but she is not expected until February.

It is likely H.M.S. Champion will go to Honolulu shortly after New Year, when the new crew has got settled down.

H.M.S. Champion and H.M.S. Pheasant sailed this morning for Vancouver, to be put out of commission and recommissioned for a further term of three years. The crews will leave Vancouver on Saturday for Halifax, where they will meet the new crews on the troopship (H.M.S. Tyne). The new crews leave Halifax on the 12th for Vancouver, and the old crews will embark on H.M.S. Tyne for passage to England. The vessels will remain at Vancouver in charge of the captains and a few other officers, who will turn them over to their successors, and will then leave for England. Quite a few of the men have volunteered to stay out for another three years. They are expected back here about the 20th of this month.

Following are the names of the new officers as far as can be learned:—First Lieutenant G. W. Little, of the Champion, has arrived and taken charge of his position:—

H.M.S. CHAMPION.

Captain, Eustace Rooke; Lieutenant, G. W. Little; Lieutenant (N.), R. Nugent; Staff-Surgeon, J. C. Dow; Staff-Paymaster, B. C. Scott; Sub-Lieutenant, E. P. C. Back; Engineer, Walter J. Kent; Asst.-Engineer, V. A. A. Keer-Veen; Boatswain, S. G. E. Galley; Middies, O. H. B. Carter, A. B. Hughes, O. J. Prentis, G. C. Clark; Naval Cadet, R. M. G. King. There are several other appointments not come to hand yet.

H.M.S. PHEASANT.

Lieutenant and Commander, Edward H. Blair; Navigating Lieutenant (re-appointed), Francis W. Melville; Sub-Lieutenant (re-appointed), A. J. D. Macaulay; Surgeon, G. G. Barrett; Engineer, James Brown; Assistant-Paymaster (in charge), W. Alton; Gunner. The Champion's complement is 278 all told, and the Pheasant's 75.

Vice-President Valentine.

Among the passengers from the Sound by the City of Kingston last evening was Mr. Jos. Valentine, First Vice-President of the International Iron Moulders' Union of North America. He is on one of his periodical tours through the country, visiting old unions and establishing new ones where they are needed. He holds quite an important position, being, in fact, the union's worker. He conducted the moulders' strike that lasted for 20 months in San Francisco, and was east when the strike was declared off. He returned to the coast to fix up the union's affairs after their long fight, and is now on his way to Denver. Mr. Valentine was met at the boat by Mr. J. B. Jones, with whom he had worked in the shops, and was shown around the city. He was entertained at the "Globe" last evening, and left for Vancouver this morning, thoroughly pleased with his visit to Victoria.

Board of Trade.

A special general meeting of the Board of Trade is being held this afternoon, with a bare quorum under the new rules, the business under consideration being in connection with the erection of the contemplated Chamber of Commerce upon the plans of Mr. A. Maxwell Muir. The meeting opened at 3:15, with Mr. Robert Ward presiding, and a number of members present.

The Chinese Forgery Case.

The Chinaman Wong Yee Ting, charged with forgery, was before the Chief Justice this afternoon, and the depositions from San Francisco produced. His Lordship said that as yet no evidence of the man's guilt had been shown, and unless something more definite was submitted by to-morrow, he would have to be released.

Wires Are Down.

The telegraph wires have been down for two days, and consequently the scissors and paste pot have been frequently used to stop the devil's cry for cop-e e-e. To-day's wind did not help the lineman in his work of straightening the wires and putting them in their proper position.

Inland Revenue Returns.

The following are the inland revenue returns for the month of November:—

Spirits	$ 7,392 25
Tobacco	1,725 26
Malt	2,483 50
Cigars	765 65
Cigar license	75 00
Petroleum inspection	289 30
	$12,714 96

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WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Thistle leaves for northern ports this evening.

A new steamer was launched from Stevens' ways yesterday.

C.P.N. Co's steamer Danube is to go into the drydock shortly.

The Government steamer Sir James Douglas is laid up for the winter.

The new steamer P. W. Carter is having her engines and boilers put in.

There were 196 entries inwards and 190 outward entries made at the custom house last month.

The tug Lorne has gone up to Vancouver this afternoon to tow down the iron bark Hawthornbank, which is to go in the drydock for scraping and painting.

Steamer City of Topeka, which has been in drydock for nearly three weeks, came out and was towed around to port by the Lorne this morning. She has been thoroughly overhauled by the A. I. W. Co.

Wrecked steamer San Pedro still lies in the same position. The work of getting ready to raise her could not be gone on with to-day owing to the heavy wind. Spratt's Ark is to be brought down from Vancouver to assist in the work of saving the San Pedro.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Chas. Rattray, jr., is in town on a visit.

D. R. Harris is expected home to-night.

H. H. Dearborn, Seattle, is at the Driard.

M. M. English and Mrs. English are in the city.

H. H. Lloyd, of Port Townsend, is at the Oriental.

James Authors, of Authors & Cox, the well known artificial limb makers, left last night for the east. He will stop at Vancouver, Portage la Prarie, Winnipeg and Sudbury on his way to Toronto to fit work he has had ordered.

Andrew Davis, representing the Edison General Electric Co., is in the city. Mr. Davis is fitting up two new cars for the street railway with Edison single reduction motors, which are of a much more simple design than the ones now in use, being almost noiseless and easier of operation.

Capt. W. J. Bryan, of San Francisco, commodore of the P. I. Co. fleet, of which the wrecked San Pedro is one, is at the Dallas. He has come up to see about the raising of the wreck of the steamer, and will return in a day or two, leaving everything in the hands of Capt. T. P. H. Whitelaw. Mrs. Bryan is with Capt. Bryan.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Okell & Morris' jams are excellent.

Linen Crumb cloths at Weiler Bros

Thirty-six births were registered during November.

When suffering from toothache try Gibbons' Toothache gum. Sold by all druggists.

Simpson's Bon Ton Tailor Parlors, 86 Government street, Victoria. Dress suits a specialty.

A $6000 fire at Fairhaven Wednesday night is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

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People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

There were 29 weddings in November, nine more than during the preceding month.

Cambridge sausages, beef sausages, pork pies, boiled corn beef and ham, at Whitelaw & Co.'s, 125 Fort street.

Try the "Best M. & M. Warranted" Razors. Guaranteed perfect. Sold only by McLennan & McFeely.

Seattle got a pretty lively shake up on Sunday, the earthquake shock being very sharp there.

A meeting of the University Council was held last evening to further consider the by-law to be presented to the ratepayers.

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A fine line of 1847 Roger Bros. quadruple plated silver ware, suitable for wedding gifts, at Weiler Bros.

Charles Nordstrom (Swanson) was arrested at Seattle yesterday for the murder of William Mason.

Carpenter's tools sold cheap at 45 Johnson street.

Owing to the wet weather the meeting of the B. C. Benevolent Society, which was to have been held this afternoon, did not come off.

If you want a cheap suit of under clothing, Lion Clothing Store, 74 Yates street.

Eighty-eight persons occupied cells at the police station during the past month. Fifty-one were in for drunkenness.

In consequence of the illness of R. Hall, Esq., Secretary of the Sealers' Association, the regular meeting will not be held until Tuesday evening, 8th inst.

Business College! Business College! Business College! 45 Government street. Ladies and gentlemen taught privately: Writing, book-keeping, shorthand, etc.

Bad boys at Westminster are causing trouble by dropping stones down the fire hydrant pipes. The police say a birching will be administered if the guilty ones are caught.

A very cheap line of men and boys' suits, and the best dollar's worth of socks in the city at Macaulay & Higginbottm's, 74 Yates street.

The lad mentioned in yesterday's edition as having been caught stealing a paper was brought up in court this morning and dismissed, his youth saving him. A moral lecture was read him.

Messrs. Page & MacGregor report a fair demand for property within the suburbs of Victoria and have within the past few weeks disposed of upwards of $8000 worth, and as no less than ten new houses are to be placed on the property sold by this firm alone, people can have some idea with what rapidity our city is growing.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

A Confederate Soldier Meets His Kind Benefactress.

George W. Dupre, of New Orleans, has been in Washington several days attending a celebrated case before the Supreme Court. During his visit here he has been the recipient of many attentions, and, on Monday night, made one of a theatre party to hear the "Cavalleria Rusticana." Thereby hangs a curious tail, says the Washington Post.

In the party were Dr. Charley Hagner, Dr. T. Morris Murray and two or three other prominent men. After the theatre, sitting up with some of Harvey's steamed oysters and lapsing into pleasant talk, the party found themselves discussing the war, interchanging stories and reminiscences thereof, and indulging in that luxurious moralizing which comes so easily after an agreeable evening and a wholesome and abundant supper. It soon appeared that Mr. Dupre had been a Confederate soldier in that famous organization, the Washington Artillery, and that he had seen many vicissitudes, and encountered a number of dramatic experiences. Touching one of these in particular he spoke at some length on account of the peculiar interest it possessed for him in connection with Washington.

A PRISONER AT POINT LOOKOUT.

It seems that in April, 1865, he was a prisoner at Point Lookout, having been captured by Sheridan some weeks before in the operations around Richmond. He was quite a boy, scarcely twenty-one, and had suffered severely, not only because of the hardships of imprisonment, but previously in the stress and exposure of a terrible campaign. One may imagine, therefore, the joy with which he received from the commandant one day the information that his release had been ordered. How it came about he had then no idea. He had no relatives, friends, or even influential acquaintances, on this side of the lines, so far as he knew, and it was in a condition of bewilderment quite as profound as his happiness that he came on to Washington.

Arriving here he heard the story; learned that a charming young lady of this district had heard of his sad circumstances and had added his name to a list which had been recommended, under powerful influence, for special clemency. How he laid his gratitude at his benefactress' feet, how in the illness which resulted from his sufferings in the field and in prison, she continued her kindness; how he at last departed for home, assured that no more gracious or good or beneficent or beautiful being adorned the earth—all this Mr. Dupre related to his companions in most enthusiastic periods.

HIS UNAVAILING SEARCH.

"But, do you know," continued Mr. Dupre, "that although I have visited Washington many times since 1865, and although I have always inquired for that lady, I have never once been able to find her. My gratitude is as warm now as it was 26 years ago, when I came to Washington ragged, footsore, burning with fever, and raked with pain, yet unutterably thankful to the good angel who had delivered me. I could go down on my knees to her now, so vivid is my recollection of the misery from which I had been saved and so keen my sense of the obligation I felt then and shall continue to feel until I die."

Mr. Dupre had spoken with a great deal of feeling, and his hearers were profoundly interested. Suddenly it occurred to one of them to enquire:

"Do you remember the name?"

"Remember it!" exclaimed Dupre. "I should think I did. It was Davis—Miss Belle Davis, of Georgetown."

"Why," exclaimed Dr. Charley Hagner, springing to his feet, "she's my wife!"

It is unnecessary to say that the two men (who, by the way, had never met before) clasped hands with genuine warmth, and that Mr. Dupre lost no time next day in making his grateful acknowledgements in person. The episode has been much talked about since, and is generally regarded as one of the most romantic coincidences on record.

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NOTICE.

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THE ROYAL COMMISSION.

Some Interesting Evidence in Regard to the Bank Overdraft.

The Royal Commission resumed its sittings again yesterday, when the following evidence was received:—

Alex. McBean, examined by Mr. Bodwell—You are contractor for the sewer works in Victoria? A—Yes.

Q—When did you begin actual work on the ground? A—The first of March.

Q—How soon after did you begin to lay pipe? A—It was some months after that.

Q—How much of the work is done now? A—I think there is half of it.

Q—Do you mean half the territory covered? I mean that we have got the largest pipe and the concrete work, the heaviest part of it, done.

Q—You haven't made any connections with the houses? A—That has all to be done afterwards.

Q—What means are taken to see where the connections are to be made with the pipe? A—There are posts put along each side of the street every 45 feet or so.

The Court—When you say that half the work has been done, that does not include the connections? A—No, sir, I mean my work.

The Court—They are not touched yet? A—No, sir.

Q—Have you been delayed at all in your work, Mr. McBean? A—We have been delayed for pipe considerably.

Q—Which pipe, the large pipe? A—No, the 8 inch pipe.

Q—Where did you use that principally? A—Well, I would have to explain. The main pipe starts at Clover Point, up Moss street to Snowden, across Snowden to Cook, Cook to Southgate and through McTavish's property and the Convent, till it comes to that little church (R.E.Church) at Humboldt; from there the 20-inch pipe starts running down Humboldt to Wharf street, as far as Johnson, and then up Johnson one or two blocks to the 18 inch, then we follow the 18 inch along Store to Chatham, and then the 15 up Chatham to Douglas and then at Douglas is the 12 inch. We have gone along Douglas two blocks. That is the main sewer. The others are 8 inch except in a few streets where there are 9 and 10 inch. Most of the smaller streets are laid in 8 inch, except a few that are 9 and 10 inch.

The Court—The main sewer stops where? A—That is the main sewer.

Q—Where does the 15 inch terminate? A—Douglas street. There is another line of 18 inch on Cook street from Southgate to View. That is the main sewer again.

Q—You say you have been delayed in getting this 18 inch pipe? A—I have been delayed in this way. If I had had the pipe I could have worked a good many more men.

Q—Have you any claims against the corporation on account of this delay? A—I have not put in any claims at all.

Q—I suppose you have got a record of all these delays? A—Yes.

Q—Do you know whether or not a considerable amount of pipe has been tendered and rejected by the engineer? A—Only from hearsay.

Q—Have you any idea whether the amount provided will be sufficient to complete the sewering of the city?. A—I don't think it.

Q—Can you form any idea of the amount that will be required to do it? A—I don't think I could do that without figuring.

The Court—You have got a record of the delay? A—We have.

Mr. Richards—Was the large pipe delivered before the contract called for it? A—It was, I think.

Q—According to your contract there was no pipe asked for until August? Did they deliver any pipe before that? A—They did. Some months before that.

Q—And did you commence work some months before that? A—Yes.

Q—They were not obliged to give it to you before August? A—That is the contract between the city and the pipe man, but my contract was to begin on the 1st March. I was to finish in 18 months. If I had not the pipe to go on with I could not do the work.

The Court—You did commence on the 1st March? A—Yes, sir.

Mr. Gavin Burns, manager of the Bank of B.N.A., examined by Mr. Bodwell:—

Q—Mr. Burns, you are the manager of the Bank of British North America? A—Yes.

Q—And the corporation account is kept at your bank? A—Yes.

Q—For several years past there has been an overdraft of more or less magnitude at the bank against the corporation? A—Sometimes there has, sometimes there has not.

Q—Would you explain the method of business by which the moneys were from time to time advanced to the corporation, going back back as far as the year 1888 and passing up to the present? A—In 1888 the council passed what was called a bank credit by-law, under which they borrowed by way of overdraft for certain amounts. They simply overdrew on the current account.

Q—How were these arrangements made with you as manager of the bank? —I mean with whom were they made? A—The Mayor and the finance committee.

Q—In the year 1890 what was done? A—Well, in the year 1890 they didn't owe us anything. They didn't ask for anything till well on in the year. I don't know about the time.

Q—About March, was it not? A—I don't know.

Q—Can you tell by looking at that book when the overdraft began? A—This book commences with the 31st May, 1890, and there was then a balance of $15,000 debtor; $15,109.80 on the 31st May, 1890. This book continues from 31st May to the 22nd October, 1891.

Q—You don't know whether that was incurred in April or March? A—I could not tell from this book.

Q—How was that overdraft arranged for? A—By the passing of the Bank Credit by-law, authorizing the city to borrow by overdraft for the current expenditure in advance of the revenue, and then the cheques of the city, signed by the Mayor and two members of the finance committee, were honored to the extent of that overdraft.

Q—The Bank Credit by-law was passed on the 5th of February, 1890, authorizing the city to arrange for and obtain credit by way of overdraft upon current account in the Bank of B.N.A to an amount not exceeding $150,000, including the now existing overdraft. What does that mean? A—At that time there was no overdraft.

Q—There was no overdraft? Can you tell us from that book what date they reached that limit? A—On the 30th June their balance was $49,000, and on the 30th July they owed us $49,000.

Q—Can you tell from that book whether from June to July they ran over the $150,000? A—No, I cannot.

Q—How much were they overdrawn at the end of August? A—$67,000.

Q—How much at the end of September? A—$72,000.

Q—At the end of October? A—$105,000.

Q—And at the end of November? A—$109,000.

And at the end of December? A—$55,000

Q—They reached their limit within a few hundred dollars at the end of June? Do you say that money was advanced to them subsequent to that date? A—I presume there was. An additional by-law was passed, but I don't recollect the date of it.

Q—It seems to have been passed in September. What did you say was the overdraft at the end of August? A—$67,000.

Q—If you look at this book (city annual report) page 232, on the 10th of September they passed this amendment making the overdraft $180,000 instead of $150,000. When was that limit reached? At the end of November, was it not? A—At the end of November they owed $105,000.

The Court—What a dark way of making a by-law. Anyone reading that by-law by itself would be at a loss to understand what it meant. "Section 1 of the bank credit by-law of 1890 is hereby amended by striking out in the first line the figure 5 and substituting therefor the figure 8." By-laws are not conundrums. On the 2nd of February I understand there was no overdraft; but on the 29th of January there was a by-law which was finally passed on the 5th of February, stating that it shall be lawful for the finance committee of the city council to obtain credit by way of overdraft at the bank of B.N.A. a sum not exceeding $150,000, including the now existing overdraft. If there was no overdraft then existing, what was the meaning of these words?

Mr. Bodwell—They could have no meaning in accordance with the surrounding circumstances.

The Court—One would think that they would have taken pains to ascertain what the state of their account then was if they didn't know.

Mr. Bodwell—They had an overdraft for so long that they had fallen into the habit of the expression.

The Court—No; I think they are intelligent men some of them. They seem to know their business, and they must have meant something by these words; though I should like to know what they did mean. You see this is an exceedingly improper way of drawing up a by-law:—"by striking out the figure 5 and inserting therefor the figure 8." No mercantile man of any common sense would write that to his correspondent.

Mr. Bodwell—It is very misleading. Anyone reading that would imagine that the intention was to correct a clerical error in the by-law.

Mr. Richards—I think the best way is for some lawyer to go in for alderman and keep them straight.

The Court—A chance for you, Mr. Richards.

Mr. Bodwell—At any rate they exceeded this overdraft by $28,000 at the end of November when this second emendment was passed. Was there any other bank credit by-law passed that you remember? A—I don't remember.

Q—At the end of June they have got to their limit, in August they have exceeded it, and it was not till the 10th September that the second credit by-law was passed. Tell us what arrangements they had with you for the advance of money between those dates. When you found they had got beyond what did you do? A—I informed them that they would require to pass another by-law, and they took steps, I understood, to have this done.

Q—In the meantime were there any checks offered for payment? A—Yes.

Q—Was there any special arrangement about that? A—Yes.

Q—What was it, do you remember? A—I could not, it was only verbal. It simply was that their cheques were to be honored pending the passage of the by-law.

Q—Just a verbal arrangement? A—Yes.

Q—With whom did you make it, the mayor? A—I could not tell you, I don't remember exactly.

Q—Whom do you usually see with reference to the finances of the city? A—Generally the mayor and one or two members of the finance committee.

Q—And they came in and said they would like to have the cheque honored in the meantime? A—That is about the way of it.

Mr. Richards—Is he swearing to all this?

Mr. Bodwell, to witness—You have not any doubt about this? A—I presume it is so; I can't remember at all; it is more than a year and a half ago.

Q—Will you tell us when the limit of $150,000 was reached? A—It does not appear to have been reached at all.

Q—How do you explain that? A—The bank book does not show it.

Q—How much did they overdraw on the 30th May? A—$155,000.

Q—How do you account then for their passing the by-law in June allowing them to overdraw to the extent of $200,000? This by-law says it shall be lawful to borrow from the bank of B.N.A. such sums as may be required to meet the current legal expenditure; the whole not to exceed $200,000, and the rate of interest not to exceed six per cent.; and the obligation shall be in writing and shall be in the form of a promissory note bearing the corporate seal. They discounted that note? A—Yes.

Q—When did the proceeds of that note go to their credit? A—On June 27.

Q—How much had they at the bank before that went in? A—The book does not show.

The Court—They discounted a note for how much? A—$200,000.

Q—Do you remember whether they were overdrawn this amount? A—I don't know. I presume they wanted some more money.

The Court—Was the overdraft then due of $130,000 paid out of that note? A—Yes.

Q—How soon did they get beyond

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A BY-LAW

To Aid in the Establishment of a University in the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS it is desirable to have a University established in the City of Victoria, for the purpose of providing facilities for higher education,

And whereas the said corporation is authorised to grant aid for educational purposes by Sub-section 11 of Section 96, of the "Municipal Act, 1891:"

And whereas in order to obtain the establishment of a University in the said City it is necessary that the Corporation of the City of Victoria grant the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars, ($50,000.00), to assist in the erection of University buildings:

And whereas for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said city, the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars:

And whereas it will require the sum of $2941 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt to be hereby created, and the interest thereon:

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation, according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1891, is $9,358,194;

And whereas for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created, according to the Municipal Act, 1891, an equal special rate of 31-1000 of one per cent. on the dollar will be required;

And whereas it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City of Victoria to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures to be issued as hereinafter provided, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of fifty thousand dollars, and to cause the same to be paid into the Treasurer of the said Corporation, and the said sum of fifty thousand dollars shall be paid out by the said Treasurer to such person or persons in such sum or sums as shall appear by the Certificate of the Board of Trustees, to be appointed as hereinafter provided.

2. There shall be appointed a Board of Trustees, consisting of three members, the same to be appointed by the said Corporation.

3. If the said Trustees so to be appointed as aforesaid, or either of them, shall die, go to reside abroad, refuse, or become incapable to act in the trusts hereinafter set forth, the place of the Trustee so dying, going to reside abroad, refusing, or becoming incapable to act in the said trusts, shall be filled by the appointment of a new Trustee or Trustees by the said Corporation.

4. The duties of the said trustees shall be to see that the said sum of fifty thousand dollars is wholly and properly expended in the building of the proposed University, and in no other manner whatever.

5. That it shall be lawful for the said Mayor to issue any number of debentures, to be made for such sums of money as may be required for not less than $500.00 each, and that the said Debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria and signed by the Mayor.

6. The said Debentures shall be payable in Fifty years from the date of issuing thereof, at the office of the said Treasurer of the said Corporation, at the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

7. The said Debentures shall bear interest [at and after the rate of Five per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly, at the office of the said Treasurer;

8. For the purposes of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said Debentures, and the interest to become due thereon, an equal special rate of 31-1000 of one per cent. on the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates, be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria, during the continuance of the said debentures, or any of them.

9. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to repurchase any of such debentures at such price as shall in each case be mutually agreed upon, and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no re-issue of debentures, or any debentures shall be made in consequence of such repurchase.

10. In the event of the said University ceasing to exist, or wishing to dispose of the property upon which the said sum of fifty thousand dollars shall have been expended, then the said sum of fifty thousand dollars shall be a first charge upon the said property.

11. The acceptance of the said University of the benefit of this grant shall be conclusive evidence of the assent of the said University to the foregoing clauses of this By-Law.

12. This By-Law, shall, before the final passage thereof, receive [the assent of the ratepayers of the said Corporation, in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1891.

3. This By-Law shall take effect on the 30th day of December, 1891.

14. The Mayor shall not issue any of the said debentures until the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall request him so to do.

15. This By-Law may be cited as the "University Aid By-law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council this 25th day of November, A.D. 1891.

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken, at Barnes' Building, Bastion Square, for Yates street Ward; at the City Hall for Johnson street Ward; and at Storey's Building, Government street, for James Bay Ward; on Wednesday, the 9th day of December next, and that the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.
City Clerk's office, Nov. 27, 1891. no28

A BY-LAW

To Aid the British Columbia Agricultural Association.

WHEREAS the British Columbia Agricultural Association is a society duly incorporated under the laws of the said Province for the protection and advancement of agricultural interests and for the promotion and welfare of mechanical and industrial operations, which holds its exhibitions in the Provincial Electoral District without the municipal limits of said Corporation, but adjoining such Municipality;

And whereas the Corporation of the City of Victoria has determined to aid and assist the said Association in its building operations by giving to the said Association the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) for the purpose of paying for exhibition buildings;

And whereas for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000);

And whereas it will require the sum of $1931 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt hereby created, and the interest thereon;

And whereas the whole amount of the rateable land or real property of the said Corporation, appearing by the last revised assessment oli, being for the year 1891, is irrespective of any future increase of the rateable land or real property of the Municipality, and of any income in nature of tolls, interest, or dividends from the work, or from any stock, shares, or interest in the work upon which the money so to be raised, or any part thereof, is intended to be invested, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investment of the sinking fund, or any part thereof;

And whereas for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the Municipal Act, 1891, an equal special rate of 21-1000 of one per cent. on the dollar will be required;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City of Victoria to raise by way of loan from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (or the sterling equivalent of that sum), and to cause the same to be paid in to the Treasurer of the said Corporation and the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars shall be paid out by the said Treasurer to such person or persons in such sum or sums as shall appear by the certificate of the Board of Trustees hereinafter mentioned.

2. There shall be appointed a Board of Trustees of the said Association, and the same shall consist of five members, three to be appointed by the said Association and two by the said Corporation.

3. Before any monies realized under this by-law are paid, the whole property of the said Association shall be vested in the said Trustees and their successors.

4. If the said Trustees so to be appointed as aforesaid, or either of them shall die, go to reside abroad, refuse or become incapable to act in the trusts hereinafter set forth, the place of the Trustee so dying, going to reside abroad, refusing or becoming incapable to act in the said trusts, shall be filled by the appointment of a new Trustee or Trustees by the said Association, in case of the three Trustees appointed by them and by the said Corporation in the case of the two Trustees appointed by them.

5. The duties of the said Trustees shall be to see that the said sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars is wholly and properly expended by the said Association in paying for bona fide permanent improvements upon the property of the said Association and in no other manner whatever.

6. The said Association shall keep the buildings erected in good and substantial repair, reasonable wear and tear expected, and in the event of the said Association ceasing to carry on its operations as an Agricultural Association upon the premises upon which the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars shall have been expended, then the said sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars shall be a first charge thereon.

7. The acceptance by the said Association of the benefit of this grant shall be conclusive evidence of the assent of the said Association to the foregoing clauses of this by-law.

8. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any of the said debentures to be issued for such sums of money as may be required, not less than Five Hundred Dollars (or the sterling equivalent of that sum) each, and each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation, signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

9. The said debentures shall be payable in twenty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect at the office of the said Treasurer of the said Corporation at the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them Coupons for the payment of interest.

10. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of Five per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

11. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures, and the interest to become due thereon, an equal special rate of 21-1000 of one per centum on the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures, or any of them.

12. That it shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council from time to time to purchase any of the said debentures, and such debentures shall be so expressed as to entitle the said Council to redeem and purchase the same on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof.

13. This By-Law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the ratepayers of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1891, and shall take effect on the 23rd day of December, 1891.

14. The said Mayor shall not issue any of the said debentures until the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall request him so to do.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Agricultural Association Loan By-Law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 28th day of November, 1891.

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken, at Barnes' Building, Bastion Square, for Yates street Ward; at the City Hall for Johnson street Ward; and at Storey's Building, Government street, for James Bay Ward; on Wednesday, the 9th day of December next, and that the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.
City Clerk's office, Nov. 27, 1891. no28

NO. 113.

A BY-LAW

Appointing three Commissioners of Sewers.

BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That Thomas Earle, M.P., J. H. Turner, M.P.P., and John Teague, Esq., Senior, are hereby appointed Commissioners to manage and superintend, as hereinafter prescribed, the construction of sewerage and drainage works for the benefit of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

2. The duties of the said Commissioners shall be to examine all accounts and claims in respect of the sewers of the said City and to certify same; to sign all cheques drawn in respect of said accounts and claims, said cheques to be countersigned by the Mayor for the time being of the City, and to see that all moneys voted for sewerage purposes be not expended otherwise than for sewerage purposes; to settle all disputes which may from time to time arise between the engineer in charge inspector, or inspectors, or either of them, and any contractor or contractors for any work in connection with said sewers, and report the same through the City Clerk to the Municipal Council of said Corporation, and the decision of said Commissioners shall be final.

3. The said Commissioners shall have power to reject any or all work or material, performed or used, and materials proposed to be used in any such work, that is not in their opinion in accordance with the plans and specifications, or either of them.

4. If the said Commissioners shall be of opinion that any assistant engineer or inspector of works is not acting for the best interests of the said City, they shall call thereto the attention of the engineer in charge of said works, and through him order the discharge of said assistant engineer or inspector of works.

5. The said Commissioners shall meet at least once in each month, and at any other time at the call of the Secretary upon reasonable notice.

6. The City Clerk shall act as Secretary at all meetings of said Commissioners.

7. The Secretary shall call a meeting of the Commissioners whenever requested so to do by the Commissioners of the engineer in charge of the works.

8. The said Commissioners shall be appointed by the Council of the said Corporation, and shall hold office for the period prescribed and limited in and otherwise under and subject to the provisions of sub-section 97 of Section 96 of the "Municipal Act, 1891."

The remuneration of the said Commissioners shall be $10 each for each and every meeting of the said Commissioners duly convened.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Commissioners of Sewers Appointment By-Law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council the 18th day of November, A.D. 1891.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 25th day of November, A.D., 1891.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
no27 C.M.C.

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the undersigned up to Wednesday, the 2nd day of December next at 4 p.m., for lighting the Public Market building by electricity.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the Buildings Inspector.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.
City Clerk's office, Nov. 21, 1891. no23

MUNICIPAL.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the undersigned until Wednesday, the 2nd day of December next, at 4 p.m., for the position of Superintendent of the Public Market.

By order, WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.
City Clerk's office, Nov. 30, 1891. no30-td

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquor at the Nickle Plate Saloon, Government street, to Thomas Garvin.

oc3-td ARTHUR FOX.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell wine, liquors and cigars by retail at the premises situate at the corner of Store and Cormorant streets, Victoria City, and know as the Caledonian saloon to Joseph Munier, Joseph H Brown and Henry Fox.

JOSEPH CARPENTER.

Dated September 16th, 1891.

NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF LICENSE.

TAKE NOTICE that we intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court, to be held in and for the city of Victoria, for the transfer of the license for the sale of intoxicating liquors, etc., by retail on the premises known as the "Desmonico Hotel," situate at No. 107 Government street in the city of Victoria, from J. Cook and W. W. Petrie to W. W. Petrie and W. R. Jackson.

Dated Victoria, B.C., this 9th day of November, 1891.

(Signed) J. COOK,
W. W. PETRIE.

no13-1m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that we intead to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of our license to sell intoxicating liquor at the "Mirror" Saloon, Yates street, corner Broad, to James Munger and Alexander G. Black.

W. R. MUNGER,
no13-td JAMES MUNGER.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as tailors and gents furnishers has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to George J. Cook by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Victoria this 17th day of November, 1891.

GEORGE J. COOK.
J. T. BURROWS.

Witness: A. B. Fraser. nov21-2w

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. de13-tf

NOTICE TO THE BUILDING TRADES.

TENDERS ARE INVITED for the erection of a two-story frame dwelling, fences, etc., on Phoenix Place, James Bay, for Walter Westington, Esq. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office, where tenders will be received up till three o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, December 9th, 1891. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. GERHARD TIARKS,
Architect.
29 Government street, Nov. 18, 1891. no28-6t

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

W. H. RAINBRIDGE, Secretary of the B.C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Works, the B.C. Agricultural Association, and the Victoria Jockey Club, has removed his offices to the

JEWELL BLOCK, DOUGLAS STREET. se19-t

In the matter of James Blake, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated 5th November, 1891, administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of James Blake, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me forthwith their said indebtedness, and those having claims there against are requested to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 5th November, 1891.

WM. MONTEITH,
no6-30t Official Administrator.

In the matter of Charles McCarthy, deceased, intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned, William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated 4th Nov., 1891, Administrator of all and singular the goods chattels and credits of Chas. McCarthy, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me, forthwith, their said indebtedness; and those having claims thereagainst are required to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 4th November, 1891.

WM. MONTEITH,
no5 Official Administrator.

In the matter of Abel Beswick, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated 12th October, 1891, administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Abel Beswick, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me forthwith their said indebtedness, and those having claims there against are requested to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 12th October, 1891.

WM. MONTEITH,
oc13-60t Official Administrator.

SANDFORD JAMES MARTIN.

Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT to the "Trustees and Executors Act," notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having claims upon or against the estate of Sandford James Martin, general dry goods and hardware dealer of Victoria, are required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 15th December, 1891, after which date the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the Trustees shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1891.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Trustees, John Wilson Lawrence of Toronto, and Richard Edward Cooper of Victoria. oc22-td

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the purchase of the following described land, situated on Barclay Sound. Commencing at the southwest corner of Indian Reserve, Uchucleslt Harbor; following the shore line 20 chains southwesterly more or less; thence 15 chains west to shore line of Rainy Bay; thence 20 chains northwesterly along shore; thence 40 chains east to northeast corner of Indian Reserve; thence south 70 chains following Indian Reserve line to point of commencement. Containing about 400 acres, more or less.

GEO. A. COOPER.
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 5, 1891. no5

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria for a retail license to sell wines, liquors &c., by the bottle only on the premises situate at 64 Douglas street, Victoria, B. C.

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nov18-tf Manager.

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THE ROYAL COMMISSION.

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the $200,000? A—They discounted an additional note. There was a third by-law passed for $50,000, making it $250,000.

Q—So they discounted another note? A—Yes.

Q—When? A—That was discounted on the 9th October.

Q—What was the condition of their account then? A—On the 30th Sept. they were overdrawn $10,000.

Q—How long after that was it before they had considerable more of an overdraft? A—They never had an overdraft after that, I think.

Q—They discounted the $50,000 on the 9th October? A—Yes.

Q—What they did was to discount the $50,000 note? A—Yes.

Q—They didn't take up the old note and issue a new one for $200,000? A—No.

Q—The way to carry out this by-law was to give a new note for the whole amount.

The Court—Whatever is borrowed must be in the form of a note, and the sum they borrow according to this amended by-law is not to exceed $250,000. And then they repeal the former by-law on which the $200,000 was raised. Now if you pull out the peg, the cloak falls to the ground, does it not? A—I don't admit that. The note for $50,000 was wanted only for a very short time.

Mr. Bodwell—What does it mean by this clause 4: "All agreements for advances heretofore made by such bank are hereby confirmed?"

The Court—I think I shall give up taking the Illustrated London News, in which I take great interest on account of its chess problems, and take these by-laws. They are such conundrums.

Mr. Bodwell—What agreements are those referred to? A—I don't know.

The Court—You didn't have that put in as a protection for yourself? A—No.

Q—You didn't interfere with the passing of the by-law at all? A—No, no.

Q—How many separate accounts are kept by the city at the bank? A—There are a good many. I could not tell the number.

Q—The sinking funds, are they all one account? A—No; each loan has a separate account.

Q—Then there is the general current account. That is the one to which the proceeds of all these notes went? A—Yes.

Q—The market site loan account, the market building fund, the sewerage loan funds, 1890, and the sewerage debenture advance account. Do you know of any others? A—I think that is about all.

Q—Will you explain what this sewerage debenture advance account is? A—It is an advance made on the debentures lodged with us.

Q—When and how were these debentures lodged with you? A—On May 31, $50,000 and $20,000.

The Court—Were these debentures lodged with you in any shape as security? A—Yes.

Q—By the corporation? A—Yes.

Q—How many, the whole of the debentures? A—No, only $70,000.

Q—They were in pledge to the bank. Will you explain that $70,000? A—That is what they want to carry on the sewerage works in the meantime.

Q—Not for general purposes? A—Oh, no.

Q—Was it before or after the 6th February that Mr. Ward got these debentures from you on a delivery order? A—It must have been after that.

Q—Has this $70,000 been repaid? A—Yes.

Q—When was it repaid? A—That would be repaid on the 5th of September.

Q—I see there is an amount of $914.61; is that interest? A—I presume so.

Q—Can you tell was that the total amount of interest paid? A—I think so.

Q—What rate is that? A—Six per cent.

Q—Have you any lien on these debentures? A—No, nor have I any lien on what may be in the bank now.

Q—They are there for safe keeping. A—Yes.

Q—What is this sewerage loan fund? A—That is an account that is set aside for the sewerage works. Funds for these works are deposited and placed to the credit of this account.

Q—All the moneys, I see, were not deposited at one time. There was October 17 (90), $1000; November 20, $1000; November 2, $776; and December 23, $15,000. What was that on December 23? A—I couldn't say.

Q—Mr. McBean's cheque? A—I don't know.

Q—At the end of May they deposited $32,622.89. A—They deposited more than that.

Q—Is there any way to show how these deposits are made? A—They are received as cash, cheques.

Q—These cheques are not cheques drawn on the current account and paid in to the credit of the sewerage account? A—I could not say. They are simply cheques paid in by some of the city officials.

Q—How does that account stand now? Has it a credit balance? A—Yes.

Q—How much? A—$20,803.85.

SERIOUS CHARGES

Made Against the Bosses of the Northern Pacific Railroad.

The officials of the N.P.R.R. are coming in for some pretty hard talk on account of alleged brutality at the late accident at Eagle Pass. One of the laborers who was employed on the road at the time of the landslip says:

"We backed up to the slide right away, and found about sixteen men there. When we left at 7 o'clock in the morning about seventy men were engaged at the slide. The situation was perilous even after the fatal landslide, for the workmen were afraid to cross over in front of the bluff. The only order I heard was 'to clear the track.'

"There was not an Italian in the whole gang, and the first telegrams sent out about the accident were entirely false and misleading. The majority of the workmen were Swedes, and the remainder were chiefly of Irish and German nationality.

"We continued at Eagle gorge until Friday at 3 p.m., when we refused to work any longer. We were given time checks and passes into town. Earth was still being shovelled from the base of the bluff down on to the burial place that was never intended for graves. On Thursday the bosses pushed work along, regardless of duty toward living and dead, just as if no casualty worth mentioning had occurred. It chilled the men to behold such cold blooded behavior, and it was a God-send to get away from there.

"If the men had been allowed to proceed with the work of digging out the buried ones, some of them might have been taken up alive; but to throw more dirt on them and thus destroy every ghost of a hope that existed was a fiendish crime."

Officials of the Northern Pacific at Tacoma deny the truth of the reported loss of life in the landslide at Canton, and denounce as false the statements made under oath by the laborers.

Assistant General Superintendent Dickinson says the company courts the fullest investigation and will not rest until all doubts in the matter have been settled. He asserts that there were not 60 men at work, and that it was impossible for all of the men who were working to be buried in the slide. Thomas English, one of the injured men, who is in this city, said, however, that enough earth fell to bury them all. Mr. Dickinson intimated that an investigation would be made but would not say so.

Grand Lodge of Washington.

TACOMA, Nov. 29.—The principal reason for the organization of the Grand Lodge of Washington by the Ancient Order of United Workmen, is the fact that there being more young men in this state, the death rate is not so great as in Oregon and British Columbia. The independent state organization will be effected Tuesday at Germania Hall in this city. Supreme Master Workman of the United States, J. W. Kinsley, will preside. Yesterday a reception was given at Germania Hall to visiting delegates and officers. At 8 o'clock in the evening Judge Frank Allyn, of the Superior Court, welcomed the delegates on behalf of the State, and President Hill, of the city council, on behalf of the city.

Tuesday there will be a parade at 9 a.m., when the local lodges will escort the visiting Workmen from the Tacoma Hotel to the Dougan block, where the sessions for organization will be held.

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Per steamer Yosemite from Westminster—Mr and Mrs English, Miss M Donnell, Mrs Rae, Mrs Harding, Mr and Mrs Johnson, Miss Collinson, James Cowie, D McPhadden, C Wilson, P Gauvestneau, T Sherman, C F Green, J Bennet, W H Scott, J Derby, J Lewis, D D Campbell, R Broderick.

Per steamer Olympian from the Sound—W Mohley, J C Anderson, L Moore, Captain Bryant, and wife, Dr Stanley, T Evans, E A Maher, C A Rathay, S Erickson and daughter, P A Cook, H Hanson, E Kempfu and wife, J Woltus, J Moore, J Viary, E Gurd, E D Miller, C C Bushol.

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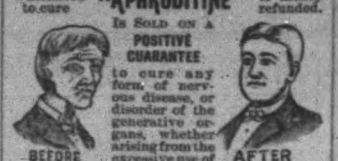

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WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B.C., Dec. 1, 1891.
Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E.

Time	Ther'ter	Bar.	W	Remarks
--1 p.m	48	29.48	Sby W	Raining
6 p.m	47	29.60	WSW	Cloudy
10 p.m	46	29.57		Overcast
6 a.m	45	29.40	S W by S	Cloudy
--1 p.m	43	29.50	SSW	

Temperature--Highest, 49; lowest, 40.
Rain, 0.40 inches.

TIDE RECORD--VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.
For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. Dec. 1, 1891.

Monday, Nov. 31.				Tuesday, Dec. 1.			
h.	Tide ft. above datum	h.	Tide ft. above datum	h.	Tide ft. above datum	h.	Tide ft. above datum
1	8.16	8	1.53	1	5.50	8	8.82
2	8.32	9	1.83	2	6.66	9	8.83
3	8.08	10	2.16	3	7.42	10	9.08
4	7.60	11	3.16	4	7.75	11	9.65
5	4.75	12	4.25	5	8.16	12	9.75
6	1.16			6	8.42	1	9.75
7	2.66			7	8.75		

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World Here and Elsewhere.

WRESTLING.

Antoine Durett, the celebrated bareback wrestler, has been challenged by a Vernon man, the stakes to be fixed by the former.

BASEBALL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—Enthusiasm drove 12,000 people wild at the opening game this afternoon between San Jose and Portland, the respective champions of the California and Pacific Northwest leagues. San Jose won by a score of 8 to 6. The Portlands were given a friendly reception by the crowd, while the Californians received an ovation. The game, while not a fair test of the relative strength of the teams, was close and exciting and the spectators found numerous opportunities to let loose some of their enthusiasm. The battery for Portland was Pitcher McNabb and Catcher Wilson; for the San Jose club Harper and Stallings acted as battery.

PORTLAND WINS AGAIN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Portland won an exciting game from San Jose to-day by a score of 3 to 3. The Californians could not gauge Camp's curves, the work of the kid pitcher being magnificent. Hoffman and Spies, the Sacramento battery, played with San Jose. Hoffman pitched a fine game, but his error in the eighth inning gave victory to Portland. Portland scored her first run in the fourth inning on Ebright's error, a passed ball and Work's safe hit. In the eighth inning Glenalvin and Work hit safely. Patton hit to Hoffman, who threw wild to first, allowing Glenalvin and Work to score. San Jose counted her two runs in the third, when Ebright was given a base on balls and scored with Dooley on the latter's home-run drive.

THE COAST LEAGUE.

The three games that have thus far been played by Portland and San Jose for the Coast championship would seem to indicate that the two teams are well matched in playing strength. San Jose has won one game and Portland two, by close scores. It may be, however, that as the series advances one or the other club will show up in better form than it does now. Everything else being equal, it is reasonable to suppose that the one to manifest the greater improvement is Portland, from the fact that a lay-off of nearly two months has not left the team in the best form.

Judging from the tone of the San Francisco press, the success of the scheme of consolidating the two Coast leagues seems to depend largely upon Portland's winning the series with San Jose. Just why this is so is hard to understand, but it certainly appears to be the general opinion. It may be that the Californians, should their champion team be defeated, would consider an alliance with those possessing superior prowess one to be sought after. It is certain that there is more or less opposition to the proposed union.

THE RING.

JACK DEMPSEY MAY BE DYING.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The Morning Journal says the condition of Jack Dempsey, the Nonpareil, is far more serious than his relatives, doctors and friends admit. He is guarded with the utmost vigilance and none but his doctors and sinfolk are permitted to see him. Those who have seen him in his bed of sickness say he is suffering from incipient consumption, and that this is but the beginning of the end. Jack's doctors gives it out that he is suffering from bilious fever, but others say the treatment of physicians shows that they are paying particular attention to his lungs. Since his big benefit in San Francisco he has traveled with a company of variety performers and boxers, in which he had a half interest. Two weeks ago he complained of illness.

THE TURF

LONDON, Nov. 28.—The Manchester Handicap of £1,315, cut course, one mile and six furlongs, was run to-day and won by Lily of Lumly, with Catarina second, and Mdme. Milbay third.

STRUCK THE VIADUCT.

Marine Disaster at Portsmouth Narrowly Averted.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—A serious marine disaster was narrowly averted in Portsmouth harbor last night, and for a time 1400 people were in great danger. The troop ship Crocodile, returning from Bombay with soldiers and their families, to the total number of 1400 souls, arrived in the harbor during a dense fog.

The pilot, while endeavoring to make a landing, suddenly came on a steamer bound out and, fearing a collision, he reversed at full steam. This manœuver prevented the two vessels from crashing together, but the backward movement of the Crocodile, accelerated by an ebb tide, caused her to run with full force into the viaduct connecting the piers. The shock was a violent one and a breach of 50 feet was made in the viaduct.

A train of cars was passing over the railway on the viaduct at the time, but luckily all the coaches were empty. Three of the latter were thrown into the water, but the trainmen escaped.

The crash caused terror on board the Crocodile, and the officers had their hands full in allaying the panic.

The bulkheads were at once closed, and an examination of the vessel made to ascertain the extent of her injuries. It was found that the damage was but slight, and the tugs which came to the Crocodile's assistance in response to signals of distress had no difficulty in towing her to her berth.

Wrapped in Flames.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—For over an hour to-day on wintry Lake Michigan four men were stared full in the face by what seemed to be inevitable death. They were aboard the tug John Miller, which was wrapped in flames. The tug was running at full speed in a great circle. The four men had only buckets to delay the moment when apparently they would have to decide whether to burn or drown. The tug Welcome sighted the smoke and flame from the burning tug, but the waves were running so high that the Welcome was long delayed. At last she succeeded in steering close to the Miller, and by almost superhuman exertions took aboard the scorched and exhausted seamen. The Welcome took fire, and only prompt measures prevented her destruction. The four men who escaped from the Miller were Captain Peter Berry, Engineer James Berry, fireman Newman and a deck hand. The Welcome was under command of Captain Thomas Berry, a brother of the Miller's captain. The rescue took place five miles from shore. The fire is supposed to have originated in the explosion of a lamp. After the engineer and wheelman were driven from their posts the disabled steering apparatus had been set by Captain Berry to head straight for the port, but instead of which the boat made a huge circle that so nearly proved the doom of himself and men.

The Dog and the Admiral.

An old admiral, whose long sea service had given his legs a decided outward curvature, once had a singular adventure on this account with a ship's pet.

The crew of the ship owned a large black spaniel, and took great pains in teaching him to jump. A man, standing up, would put one foot against his other knee, thus make a hole for Nep, the dog, to make his leap through. The dog always jumped through the aperture readily, though if his trainer's legs happened to be short, it was a rather tight squeeze.

One day the admiral came aboard from the flagship on a visit of inspection. Happening to walk to the forward part of the ship, he stood there for a few minutes conversing with the officer who had attended him.

Here he was spied by the dog. Nep stood a moment surveying the admiral's bow legs. Suddenly the dog made a rush at the legs, and a mad leap through the tempting gap.

In astonishment at the black tornado that had passed beneath him the admiral whirled quickly about to see what was the cause. The dog took this action as a signal for "encore" and jumped again.

Once more the admiral turned, and again the dog jumped. The bewildered face of the admiral, and the serious attention of Nep to what he imagined was his business was too much for the gravity of the bystanders, and, forgetting the respect due to rank, they all roared with laughter.

A sailor, however, had enough presence of mind to break through the crowd and catch the dog by the collar. He led him off, and Nep seemed to wonder why he did not receive the prize due to such spirited efforts.

The excited admiral got but an imperfect explanation of the affair from the spectators, for they could hardly tell him that his legs had been used as a kind of circus hoop for a forecastle dog. Perhaps to his dying day the occurrence was a mystery to him.

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